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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

RE: Ex Parte Filing

Accelerating Wireless Broadband Deployment by Removing Barriers to Infrastructure Investment, WT Docket No. 17-79; Accelerating Wireline Broadband Deployment by Removing Barriers to Infrastructure Investment, WC Docket No. 17-84; Streamlining Deployment of Small Cell Infrastructure, WT Docket No. 16-421

On July 19, 2017, the undersigned met with Daudeline Meme, Legal Advisor, Wireless, and Claude Aiken, Legal Advisor, Wireline, for Commissioner Mignon Clyburn to discuss the above-referenced proceedings.

During the meeting, we discussed a number of issues of concern to local governments that have been raised through comments filed to date in these proceedings, including: 1) the potential impact of any FCC action on recently enacted state small wireless facilities siting legislation; 2) the usefulness of pre-application meetings; 3) the need to proceed with the Commission's dormant RF proceeding; 5) potential impact on FirstNet deployments; 5) the continuing need for educational outreach on small cells and deployment practices; and 6) that any new rules relating to copper line retirement must ensure new services offer equivalent functionality and consumers must have notice of any retirements.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, a copy of this letter is being electronically submitted in the record of these proceedings and provided to the Bureau participants. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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Executive Director